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Phage Display of a Biologically Active Bacillus thuringiensis Toxin

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DECLARATION OF MICHAEL J. ADANG, Ph.D. UNDER 37 CFR '1.132

Sir:

I. Michael J. Adang, Ph.D. hereby declare:

THAT my Curriculum Vitae is attached;

THAT I am a co-inventor on the subject application;

THAT I have reviewed the Office Action dated July 25, 2007, and the references cited therein:

And, being thus duly qualified, do further declare as follows:

Regarding the cited Marzari publication, Marzari actually teaches away from our invention. We demonstrated for the first time an active Cry toxin (fused with a phage protein) displayed on the surface of the phage. Marzari states on page 30, right column, for example, that Cloning of a large fragment corresponding to the activated [core] toxin caused slowed bacterial growth, but did not cause lysis unless the bacteria were also infected with a helper phage. We feel that this may arise from the insertion of a functional toxin pore molecule into the cell membrane following phage extrusion. The induction of toxicity is probably responsible for the lack of display observed. [emphasis added]

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On page 31, left column, Marzari summarizes: "In conclusion, loop 2 and domain II [non-toxic fragments] appear promising for phage binding studies."

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Thus, Marazari clearly teach away from using insecticidal fragments of B.t. Cry proteins.

In contrast, the insecticidal activity of the core toxin that is displayed according to our invention is a key component. For example, with the fragments described by Marzari, one could screen with the binding fragment for binding, but one could not then use the fragment to screen for insecticidal activity.

According to our invention, with phage-produced recombinants, one can make many recombinants that will allow easy production of Bt toxin proteins. Those with higher activity could be identified and sequenced to discover improved Bt genes. The core toxin molecule could also be screened for toxin binding and then immediately tested for improved biological activity by feeding the toxin-phage combination to larvae.

Regarding the cited Kasman et al. reference, Dr. Kasman, the first listed co-author on the publication, was a postdoctoral associate in my laboratory. Dr. Kasman came to my laboratory as an expert in phage display technology. She was the primary researcher on the project who designed and conducted the experiments. Dr. Kasman is an inventor on the patent application.

I conceived of the invention of using phage display to improve Bacillus thuringiensis toxins for enhanced insect control. I also assisted Dr. Kasman in directing the project and was a primary writer of the Kasman et al. paper. For these reasons, Dr. Kasman and I are listed as inventors of the subject B.t. phage display technology.

Dr. Stephen Gaczynski was a graduate student in my laboratory. He conducted binding experiments and was thus listed as an author on the cited Kasman et al. publication. However, he was not part of the conception of the invention. Dr. Garczynski was thus not listed as an inventor on the subject patent application.

Dr. Rebecca McNall assisted Dr. Kasman in several experiments, including western blot analysis as I recall. For this work, she was listed as an author on the cited publication. However, she did not contribute to the conception, and is thus not listed as an inventor on the patent application.

Dr. Phil Youngman was a Professor of Genetics at the University of Georgia during the time the research was conducted. He is an expert in Bacillus genetics and a collaborator on a University

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of Georgia technology grant that funded the project. Dr. Youngman was listed as a co-author on the Kasman et al. paper due to his collaboration on the grant proposal. However, he did not contribute to the conception of the invention and is not an inventor on the subject patent application.

Dr. Andrew Lukowiak was a graduate student in Dr. Youngman's laboratory. As I recall, he assisted with several DNA constructions. However, he was not involved in the conception of the invention and is not listed as an inventor on the patent application.

The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or of any patent issuing thereon.

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4. Book Reviews

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5. Any other (popular articles)

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B. Creative contributions other than formal publications

Patents (U.S. Only) Issued

Adang, M.J. Methods and Materials for Identifying Novel Pesticide agents. 2006. U.S. Patent 7.011.975

Insect Resistant Plants. 2005. M.J. Adang and J.D. Kemp. U.S. Patent 6,943,282

Methods and materials for identifying novel pesticide agents. 2003. M.J. Adang and K. Luo. U.S. Patent 6,586,197 B1.

Insecticidal Protein Fragments. 2001. M.J. Adang. U.S. Patent 6,251,656 B1

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Transgenic plants comprising a synthetic insecticidal crystal protein gene having a modified frequency of codon usage. 2000. M.J. Adang and E. Murray, U.S. Patent 6,013,523.

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Synthetic insecticidal crystal protein gene having a modified frequency of codon usage. 2000.
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Bacillus thuringiensis δ-endotoxin fragments, 1998, M.J. Adang, U.S. Patent No. 5,710,020.

Toxin active against lepidopteran insects 1996. US Patent 5,578,702.

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Synthetic Insecticidal Crystal Protein Gene. 1995. M.J. Adang, T. R. Rocheleau, D.J. Merlo, and E. Murray. U.S. Patent 5,380,831

Biological control of insects using Pseudomonas strains transformed with Bacillus thuringiensis insect toxin gene 1993. C. Stock, T.J. McLoughlin, J.A. Klein, M.J. Adang U.S. Patent 5.229.292.

Patents, U.S. only, Published Applications

Peptides for Inhibiting Insects. 2005. M. J. Adang et al. U.S. Patent Publication 20050283857

Identification of toxin-binding protein involved in resistance to Cry1 toxins, and related screening methods. 2005. M. J. Adang et al. U.S. Patent Publication 20050064386. Phage display of a biologically active B.T. toxin. 2004. M.J. Adang et al., U.S Patent publication. 20040254364.

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C. Grants received

- 4/01/2006-12/31/2006. InsectiGen. Stabilization of BtBooster for Enhanced Insect Control. \$50,0000.
- 7/1/2005-12/31/2006. BtBooster optimazation and formulation research. InsectiGen. \$50,000.
- 9/15/2004-9/14/2007. Bacillus thuringiensis toxin Heliothis receptor interactions. M.J. Adang (P.I), J.L. Jurat-Fuentes (co-P.I.). USDA-CSREES NRI. \$280,000
- 12/5/2003-6/30/2004. High throughput screening for identifying improved pore-forming toxins. Georgia Research Alliance Innovation Grant.\$50,000.
- 09/19/03-9/30/2008. Functional domains of Bacillus thuringiensis endotoxins: Examine the nature of mosquito midgut receptors. PHS-NIH DH. Dean (P.I.) and M. J. Adang (P.I.). Subcontract for \$778,433 through Ohio State University Research Foundation.
- 8/19/2003-8/1/2005. Role of the cadherin-like protein from Lymantria dispar as a Cry1A toxin receptor. USDA (Forest Service). \$30,000.
- 8/8/2003-8/8/2004. A high-throughput screen for identifying improved pore-forming toxins. InsectiGen, \$50,000.
- 10/1/02-9/30/05. US-Israel Binational Science Formation. Functional Genomics of Bacillus thuringiensis toxin action. \$75,000
- 7/1/01-6/30/02. Bt toxin toxin mode-of-action studies vs Helicoverpa zea and Western corn
- rootworm; also Photorhabdus toxin mode-of-action studies. DOW Agrosciences, \$98,250 7/1/98-extended to 8/31/02. Bt toxins against Budworms, Cornborers and rootworms. Mycogen Seeds. \$271,195.
- 9/15/97-8/31/2002. Functional domains of Bacillus thuringiensis endotoxins: Identification of sites on Manduca sexta aminopeptidase that interact with Cry1A toxins. PHS-NIH DH. Dean (P.I) and M.J. Adang (P.I). Subcontract for \$508,200 through Ohio State University Research
- 9/1/97-8/31/99. Bacillus thuringiensis toxin-receptor interactions. USDA-CSRS. NRI. Award No. 97-35302-4548. \$150,000.
- 9/1/96-1/31/98. Bt toxins against budworms and rootworms. Mycogen Plant Sciences. \$120,000. 9/1/96-8/30/99. Genetic and Molecular Basis of Resistance to Bi in Diamondback Moth. USDA-CSRS. NRI. D.G. Heckel, B.E. Tabashnik, and M.J. Adang. Sub-contract No. 2 Total \$54,179. \$180,000.
- 9/1/95-8/31/97. Characterization of Bacillus thuringiensis receptor proteins USDA-CSRS, NRI. 95-37302-1803. \$120,000.
- 7/1/95-6/30/97. Selection of novel Bacillus thuringiensis toxin by receptor screening. UGA Biotechnology. M.J. Adang (P.I.) and P. Youngman (co-P.I.). \$34,000
- 1/1/95-12/31/95. Bt toxins against budworms and rootworms. Mycogen Plant Sciences. \$80,000. 9/1/94-8/31/99. Prokaryotic Diversity -- An organismal Approach. NSF. W. Whitman (P.I.) and A.O. Summers (co-P.I.), M.J. Adang, Steering Committee Member and organizer of summer workshop on Bacillus thuringiensis. \$1,996,418.
- 7/1/94-6/30/95. Analysis of Bt toxin binding proteins in Spodoptera. Ecogen. \$24,000.
- 7/1/94-6/30/95. Characterization and modification of tomato spotted wilt virus glycoproteins. UGA Biotechnology. C.M. Deom (P.I.), C. Demski, A. Culbreath, and M. Adang. \$22,167. 1/1/94-12/31/94. Mycogen Plant Sciences, "Bt toxins against weevils", \$110,000.
- 9/1/93-8/31/98. NIH. "Molecular Cell Biology of Parasites and Vectors", R. Damian, Program Director, M.J. Adang, Steering Committee Member. \$715,939
- 9/1/93-8/31/94. USDA-CSRS, "Identification of Bacillus thuringiensis toxin receptors", USDA-CSRS. 91-37302-6277, \$55,000.
- 7/1/92-6/30/94. United Soybean Board, "Engineering insect resistance in soybeans". \$79,939.

- 7/1/92-6/30/94. UGA Biotechnology, "Characterization and modification of tomato spotted wilt virus glycoproteins". \$58,000/81/92-7/31/94. Ecogen, "Analysis of Bt toxin binding proteins in Spodoptera". \$53,000. 9/1/92-8/31/94. USDA Competitive Grants Program, "Interactions of insect resistant genes in
- 9/1/92-8/31/94. USDA Competitive Grants Program, "Interactions of insect resistant genes in soybeans". \$100,000.
- 1/1/92-12/31/92. Crop Genetics International, "Analysis of insecticidal proteins in a biopesticide". \$20,000.
- 11/1/91-indefinite extension. Agrigenetics Co., "Bt strains toxic to Coleoptera. Analysis of Bt proteins in plants", \$140.000.
- 9/1/91-8/31/93. CSRS/USDA Competitive Grants Program, "Identification of Bt receptor proteins".
- 7/1/90-6/30/92. UGA Agriculture/Biotechnology, "Engineering insect resistance in soybeans".
- 11/1/90-10/31/91. Crop Genetics International, "Analysis of insecticidal proteins in a biopesticide". \$20,000.
- 1990-1991. UGA and GACCP, "Cell culture techniques for peanut improvement". \$68,000.
- 11/1/89-10/31/91. Agrigenetics Co., "Assembly of an improved anti-coleopteran toxin gene. Analysis of Bt protein in cotton plants". \$200,798.
- 7/1/89-6/30/91. UGA Agriculture/Biotechnology, "Characterization of Bacillus thuringiensis receptors in Heliothis". \$54,000.
- Summer 1989. "Evaluation of nematode-suppressive bacteria in cotton field tests," \$1,500.

D. Recognitions and outstanding achievements

Inventor Award, University of Georgia, 2006

Featured scientist in University of Georgia "Scholars to Dollars" video, 2005

Georgia Life Sciences Summit; Inventor Presentation, 2004

C.V. Riley Lecturer, University of Missouri, 2004

Invited visit to Beijing, China, supported by the National Natural Science Foundation of China and the International Agriculture program of the University of Georgia. 2001

Seminar at Peking University

Seminar at Chinese National Academy of Sciences

Seminar at Chinese Academy of Agricultural Sciences

USDA Biotechnology Risk Assessment Steering Committee (appointed 1999)

Member Biotechnology Scoping Committee of the Council for Agricultural Science and Technology, 1997

Co-organizer, Pacific Rim Conference on the Biotechnology of *Bacillus thuringiensis*. Chiang Mai, Thailand, 1996

Mycogen Plants Sciences award for U.S. Patent covering 'Synthetic Bt Genes." Cash award (\$10,000) and plaque, 1995

Meeting Site Selection Committee of the Society for Invertebrate Pathology, 1994-2002.

Co-organizer, Pacific Rim Conference on the Biotechnology of Bacillus thuringiensis. Taipei, Taiwan, October 1994.

H.O. Lund Club Outstanding Teaching Award, 1993

Memberships

American Association for the Advancement of Science American Chemical Society American Society for Microbiology Entomological Society of America Georgia Entomological Society Society for Invertebrate Pathology

E. Area in which research is conducted

The overall goal in the laboratory is to conduct research that promotes the long-term usage of Bacillus thuringiensis insecticidal proteins. One project focuses on characterizing the interaction between Bt toxins and insect midguts. This is important in modifying Bt genes for improved insect control and for determining mechanisms by which insects acquire resistance in insects to Bt toxins.

F. Editorial Service

Editorial Board, <u>Biocontrol Science and Technology</u>, 2001-present Editorial Board, <u>Pesticide Biochemistry and Physiology</u>, 1998-present Editorial Board, <u>Applied and Environmental Microbiology</u>, 1995-2003

G. Convention papers

1. International Invitational Papers

Society for Invertebrate Pathology, Wuhan, China, Jurat-Fuentes and Adang, invited symposium lecture, 2006

1. International Invitational Papers, continued

IUPAC International Congress of Pesticide Chemistry, Kobe, Japan, invited symposium lecture, 2006

Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting, Anchorage, Alaska, invited symposium lecture, 2005

Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting, Burlington, VT, 2 invited symposium lectures, 2003

International Plant Resistance to Insects Workshop, Baltimore, MD. 2002.

Regional biopesticide symposium 16-18 October, Mahidol University, Bangkok, Thailand (2 invited symposium lectures). 2001

Keystone Symposium, Genetic Manipulation of Insects. Taos, New Mexico, 2001. Society for Invertebrate Pathology, XXXIII Annual Meeting, Guanauato, Mexico, 2000.

VIIth International Colloquium on Invertebrate Pathology and Microbial Control and IVth International Conference on *Bacillus thuringiensis*. Sapporo, Japan, 1998.

Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting-Banff, Canada, 1997

Second Pacific Rim Conference on *Bacillus thuringiensis*, Chiang Mai, Thailand, 1996 Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting-Cordoba, Spain, 1996

Keystone Symposium, Towards the Genetic Manipulation of Insects, Tamarron, Colorado, 1995

Biotechnologia Habana. Havana, Cuba, November, 1995

Biofor Conference, Canadian National Conference on Forest Biotechnology, Montreal and Vancouver Canada, 1994

U.S.-Japan Conference on Biocontrol, Kyoto, Japan, 1994

Pacific Rim Conference on the Biotechnology of Bacillus thuringiensis, Taipei, Taiwan, 1994 VIth International Colloquium on Invertebrate Pathology and IIId International Conference on Bacillus thuringiensis. Plenary speaker for combined session, Montpelier, France, 1994

International Symposium on Recent Trends in Life Sciences, Hyderabad, India, 1993 World Congress on Cell and Tissue Culture. Second National Congress on Plant

Biotechnology, 1992

Potential Ecological and Nontarget Effects of Transgenic Plant Gene Products on Agriculture, Silviculture, and Natural Ecosystems, Washington, DC. Sponsored by U.S.EPA, AgCanada and The Joyce Foundation. Invited Speaker and Panel Chair, 1992

Roussel Uclaf Round Table on Biopesticides, Paris, France, 1991

1st International Conference on Molecular Biology of Bt, San Francisco, CA, 1991

Second National Congress on Plant Biotechnology, Bogata, Columbia, 1991

Biotechnology Conference, Biological Pesticides, and Novel Plant-Pest Resistance for Insect Pest Management, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, 1988 International Congress of Entomology, Vancouver, Canada, 1988

U.S.-Japan Conference on Biotechnology in Invertebrate Pathology and Cell Culture, Honolulu, Hawaii, 1986

Fourth International Colloquium of Invertebrate Pathology, Veldhoven, Netherlands (two symposia lectures), 1986.

2. International Contributed Papers

5th International Symposium on Molecular Insect Science, Tucson, AZ (2 posters)
Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting, Anchorage, (3 posters, 1 presentation)
Alaska 2005

Glycobiology, San Diego (1 student poster), 2003

Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting, Burlington, VT, (3 student posters), 2003. Society for Invertebrate Pathology 34th Annual Meeting, Noorwijkerhout, The Netherlands (2 student papers), 2001.

Society for Invertebrate Pathology Annual Meeting-Banff, Canada (3 student papers), 1997 Third International Colloquium of Invertebrate Pathology, Brighton, U.K., 1982

3. National Invitational Papers

American Chemical Society Agrochemicals Special Conference VI "Molecular Genetics and Ecology of Pesticide Resistance, Big Sky, Montana, 1995

Society for Nematology, Little Rock, Arkansas, 1995

American Chemical Society, 1994

Society for Invertebrate Pathology, Organized symposium-Mode of Action of Bt Toxins, (symposium lecture), 1993

Society for Industrial Microbiology, Annual Meeting, Chicago, Illinois, 1988

American Association for the Advancement of Science, Annual Meeting, Boston, Massachusetts, 1988

Gordon Conference on Agricultural Sciences, Santa Barbara, California, 1987

DuPont-UCLA Symposium on Molecular Strategies for Crop Protection, Steamboat Springs, Colorado, 1986

Entomological Society of America, Annual Meeting 1984, 1988, 1989, 1991, 1993

4. National Contributed Papers

Entomological Society of America Annual Meeting, Salt Lake City, UT (1 student poster) Entomological Society of America, Annual Meeting, Cincinatti, OH (2 posters), 2003 Entomological Society of America, Annual Meeting, Ft. Lauderdale, FL (1 paper, 2 posters), 2002

Entomological Society of America, Annual Meeting, San Diego, CA (5 papers), 2001 Society for Invertebrate Pathology, 1993, co-author on student papers 3, 1999.

Entomological Society of America, New Orleans, LA, 1990; Reno, NV 1991 co-author on two student papers and one student poster; 1994, co-author on student paper; 1999 co-author on student paper.

5. National Meetings Attended Without Presentations

U.S. Biotechnology Symposium, Washington, DC. 1998

6. Regional Invitational Papers

Southeast Vegetable Growers Meeting, 1995 Georgia Entomological Society, co-author on student paper, 1994

Entomological Society of America, Southeastern Branch, 1993

Entomological Society of America, North Central Branch, 1993

Capitol Area Tissue Culture Society, 1993

Entomological Society of America, Southeastern Branch, 1992, co-author on 2 student papers SRIEG-Heliothis (Southern Region Information Exchange Group), 1990 Ohio State University. 1989

Current and Future Trends in the Biological Control of Insects, Symposium, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1988

Southern Corn Improvement Conference, Atlanta, Georgia, 1988

Entomological Society of America, North Central Branch, Des Moines, Iowa, 1987

Advances in Agricultural Biotechnology, Symposium, University of Wisconsin, Madison, 1987

7. Special Meetings (Workshops, etc.)

USDA-Mexico Workshop on Insect Bt resistance workshop, 2004

USDA/CSRS Workshop on Bt Resistance Management, 1992

Symposium: Management Strategies for *Bacillus thuringiensis*-Based Products, Monsanto Agricultural Company, 1990

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Workshop, 1990

U.S. EPA Conference on Pesticidal Transgenic Plants, 1990

U.S. Congress Office of Technology Assessment Workshop, 1990

8. Seminars Presented

University of Kentucky, Dept. of Entomology, 2006

Iowa State University, Dept. of Entomology, 2005

University of Missouri, Dept. of Entomology, 2004

Kansas State University, Dept. of Entomology, 2003

Ohio State University, Dept. of Entomology, 2003

University of Georgia, Dept. of Cellular Biology, 2003

Verdia, Inc., 2003

DOW Agrosciences, Indianapolis, IN. 2002.

University of Montreal, Montreal, Canada. 2002.

University of Georgia, Dept. of Plant Pathology. 1998. University of Georgia, Dept. of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology. 1996.

University of Massachusetts - Amherst, Depts. of Entomology and Microbiology, 1995.

University of Georgia, Dept. of Entomology, 1994

University of Notre Dame, Dept. of Biological Sciences, 1994

University of Georgia, Dept. of Horticulture, 1994

University of Georgia, Dept. of Agronomy, 1992

USDA Insect Attractants, Behavior and Basic Biology Laboratory, Gainesville, FL, 1992 University of Georgia, Dept. of Microbiology, 1992

North Carolina State University, Dept. of Entomology, 1992

USDA Insect Management Laboratory (Tifton, GA), 1992

Entotech, 1992

Calgene, 1992

Ecogen, 1991, 1993

University of Tennessee, 1991

University of Georgia, 1991

DOW-ELANCO, 1991

Crop Genetics International, Inc., 1990

Clemson University, 1990

Michigan State University, 1988

University of Wisconsin, 1987

Boyce Thompson Institute (Cornell University), 1986

Mycogen Plant Sciences, 1993

Ciba-Geigy, 1993

Pioneer International, 1993

University of Maryland, 1993

PUBLIC AND UNIVERSITY SERVICE

A. Public Service

1. Manuscripts reviewed for journals/grants for agencies (partial listing)

Annals Entomol, Soc. America

Applied and Environmental Microbiology

Arch, Insect Biochem

Biochemistry

Biological Control

Comparative Biochemistry and Physiology

Insect Molecular Biology

Journal for Invertebrate Pathology

Journal of Chemical Ecology

Journal of Agricultural Entomology

Journal of the American Society for Horticultural Science

Journal of Biological Chemistry

Journal of Wildlife Diseases

Microbiology

Molecular Breeding

Molecular Ecology

Nature Biotechnology Proc. National Academy Sciences

Science

Grants reviwed (partial listing)

National Institutes of Health, Tropical Medicine and Parasitology Study Section Member. 1999, 2001

Nebraska Research Initiative Grants Program, Adhoc reviewer, 1998 (2)

North Central Plant Biotechnology, Panel Member, 1996-1997

University of Georgia Biotechnology Program, Panel Member, 1996, 1998

Ad Hoc reviewer, National Institutes of Health, 1994

National Research Council (U.S. - Mexico Foundation of Science), 1993

Reviewer, Midwest Biotechnology Consortium, 1992 (6)

The Consortium for Plant Biotechnology Research, 2004 (1), 2005 (2).

USDA/CSRS NRI Competitive Grants. Panel Member, 1992, 1993, 1996, 1999, 2005.

Ad Hoc reviewer for USDA Grants Program, approximately 2 per year

2. Consulting

Mycogen Plant Sciences (formerly Agrigenetics Co.), 1988-1999.

Crop Genetics International, 1990-1994

Greenlee and Associates, 1990-1994

Hambricht & Quist, 1990-1994

EPA regarding transgenic plants, 1990-1994 USDA/APHIS regarding transgenic plants, 1991-1994

Arnall, Golden and Gregory LLP, 2000-2001.

DOW Agrosciences, 1999-present. Matters relating to Adang Bt plant patents.

Kaye Scholer, LLP. 2003-2004.

Mallesons, Stephens and Jaques (Australia) 2003-present.

Verdia, Inc. 2003-2004.

InsectiGen, Inc., 2004-present

B. Administrative service to the University

1. University committees

Charter Lecture Committee, 2002-2004
University Level Promotion and Tenure Committee (2000-2002). Chair 2002.
Program Review, Department of Pathology, Chair, 1999
Campus-wide Committee for Biotechnology Education, 1994-1997
University Council, elected Spring 1994 (term 1994/95-1997/98)
University Biosafetv Committee (1993-2005)

2. College Committees

Co-organizer of 1th Agricultural Biotechnology Media Day, University of Georgia, 2001. Biotechnology Laison for CAES (2000-present)
Applied Biotechnology Degree Program Committee, (2000-present)
College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, D.W. Brooks Award Committee, 1999. College of Agricultural and Environmental Sciences, Scholarship Committee, 1993-1994
Advisory Committee for the Center for Soybean Improvement; Annual Meeting, 1992
Junior Faculty Advisory Committee-College of Agriculture, 1991

3. Division Committees

Steering Committee for Microbiology Training Grant, 1994-1998 Organizing Committee for "Center for Soybean Improvement" Annual Meeting, 1993 Steering Committee for the Molecular Parasitology Training Grant, 1992-1998

4. Department Committees

Search Committee 1996
Executive Committee 1996
Search committee 1996
Search committee 1996
Search committee 1996
Search committee for vegetable entomologist, 1995
Search committee for medical entomologist, 1994
Chairman of Search committee for temporary instructor of medical entomology, 1994
Coordinator of departmental seminars, September 1994-1995
Search committee for insect physiologist, 1994
Student paper rehearsals, 1990-1992
Entomology Graduate Student Progress Committee 1990, 1996-1999 (chair 1998-1999)

C. Other university and non-university activities

Faculty mentor for Eric Stabb, Assistant Professor, Microbiology, 2002-2004.
Biotechnology Award (presented at the Georgia Science and Engineering Fair) Originator and Presenter, 2000-2001.

Judge Georgia Science and Engineering Fair, 1998 - 2001.

Judge in the Athens-Clarke County High School Science and Engineering Fair, 1997, 1998

Mentor for students in the Georgia Science and Engineering Fair, 1997, 1998, 1999.

Review of bacterial bio-pesticides program for Forest Pest Management Institute, Sault Sainte Marie, Canada. 1994

Franklin College Outreach Program, 1993-present (about 2 presentations per year).

"Science-By-Mail" participating scientist with groups of elementary school students in Georgia and Alabama, 1993-1996